

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ನಿಮಗೆ ಸಾಕಷ್ಟು ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇನೆ, ಕೂಡಿ ಈಗ ರಮೇಶ್‌ಕುಮಾರ್ ಅವರ ಕಾಲಿಂಗ್ ಅಟೆನಷನ್.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪ್ರತಾಪಚಂದ್ರ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ.—ಮಾನ್ಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರೇ, ನಾನು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದು ಬೇರೆ...

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ದಯಮಾಡಿ ಕೂಡಿ. ನೀವು ಏನಾದರೂ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರೆ ರಿಕಾರ್ಡ್‌ಗೆ ಹೋಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪ್ರತಾಪಚಂದ್ರ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ.—ರಿಕಾರ್ಡ್‌ಗೆ ಹೋಗುವುದು ಬೇಡ. ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಸತ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ದೂರವಾದ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡಬಹುದೇ ?

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ನಾನು ೩-೪ ಬಾರಿ ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪ್ರತಾಪಚಂದ್ರ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ.—೪ ಸಾರಿ ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿಲ್ಲ, ನನಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ದಯಮಾಡಿ ಕೂಡಿ.

(ii) *Complaints of fraud against I. D. C. Staff, Metropolitan Co-operative Bank and its associate Delcredere Group Bangalore.*

SRI RAMESH KUMAR.—Sir, I call the attention of the Minister for Co-operative to the complaints of fraud against I. D. C. staff Co-operation Society, I. D. C. Co-operative Bank, Metropolitan Co-operative Bank and its associated D E L credere Group. Bangalore.

SRI R. L. JALAPPA (Minister for Co-operation).—Sir, I wish to make the following:—

The Hon'ble Member in the Call attention Notice has drawn the attention to complaints of fraud against the I D C Staff Credit Cooperative Society, I D C Co-operative Bank, Metropolitan Cooperative Bank and its associates D E L Credere Group Bangalore and consequent demand by the depositors and general public for taking over the above institutions by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies,

In this connection, I wish to mention that a petition dated 2-8-1955 signed by Sriyuths Indra Kumar Sanghi and Anand Sanghi and Srimathies Anjali Devi Gupta and Indra Sanghi stating that some unscrupulous persons who are connected with the above-said institutions have fraudulently obtained deposits from the petitioners falsely claiming that the Institutions have been approved by the Reserve Bank of India and/or Co-operative Banks and the deposits made by the petitioners are covered by the Fidelity Guarantee Insurance and the operation of the Institutions are in conformity with the Banking Regulation Act. but subsequently through Press Note of the Reserve Bank of India and C. O. D., they came to know that the Institutions have not been authorised to receive deposits and complaints of fraud have been received against them. Enclosing the cuttings of the Press Release of the Reserve Bank of India and

C O D, they had pleaded that in the interest of general public and innocent depositor and economic ethics, the Registrar of Co-operative Societies should take over the control and management of the above group of Institutions as per the provisions of the Co-operative Societies Act and then settle the claims of the depositors.

It must be mentioned that a news item had appeared in the Deccan Herald dated 31-7-1985 wherein the Reserve Bank of India through its Press Note had stated that it has come across statement or advertisements issued by the Integrated Development Complex (I D C) Staff Credit Co-operative Society Ltd. which has its registered office at Integrated Development Complex, Kodava Samaja Building, 1st Main Road, Vasanthanagar, Bangalore-560052, inviting deposits from the public in the name of "Metropolitan Co-operative Bank" and "I D C Co-operative Bank". which are stated to be the divisions of the said society and is reported to be accepting deposits from the public also in the name of "D E L Credere Bank of India" and "D E P Crobort Bankers". The Reserve Bank of India has further said that this society is not a licenced Co-operative Bank, authorised to carry on banking business, nor is the said Society entitled to use as part of its name or in connection with its business the expression, "Banks", "Banker", or "Banking", and as such acceptance of deposits from the public by the society and its use of expression "Bank" or "Bankers" in connection with its business are unauthorised and are in violation of the provisions of the "Banking Regulation Act 1949". It is further pointed out that the deposits which the Society may accept from the public are not, as in the case of deposits accepted by Banks protected by the scheme of the Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation with reference to repayment thereof.

The Press Note issued by the Reserve Bank of India was to caution the public at large that the I D C Staff Credit Co-operative Society Ltd., Bangalore is not a Co-operative Bank and that public should be careful in investing their funds in the said Bank,

It must be mentioned that the I D C Society is registered as a Co-operative Credit Society, vide registration No. ARB/45/Regn/10179/83-84 dated 30-3-1984 by Assistant Registrar of Coop. Societies, Bangalore II Circle, Bangalore. The Society has been registered for the benefit of employees who are appointed on a regular basis in the offices located in the Integrated Development Complex Kodava Samaja Building, Vasanthanagar, Bangalore. The object of the Society which is a primary Credit Co-operative Society, has been to encourage thrift and to promote social, economic interests

of its members and to provide its members such means and facilities as may be necessary and desirable for improving their economic conditions. The bye-laws of the Society also provide that the Society will have such other objects as to promote economic benefits of the members in accordance with the Bye-laws as decided upon by the General Body of the Society, with the approval of the Registrar.

As per Bye-law No. 23 A of the Society, it was permitted to receive deposits only from the members. By subverting the provisions of Bye law No. 15 (c) of the Society which states that the funds of the Society shall consist of deposits and borrowings from the State Government, Central financing institutions and other sources, the management of the Society appears to have created a "Trust" by name, "Metropolitan Co-operative Bank" and have gone through on to invite deposits from the public through advertisements in various papers, clearly acting in violation of the provisions of Karnataka Co-operative Societies Act 1959, as well as the Banking Regulation Act 1949. When advised by the Reserve Bank of India, not to proceed with the inauguration of the Credit Society as "Metropolitan Co-operative Bank" as it was registered as a primary Credit Society, the Society has questioned the authority of the Reserve Bank of India in interfering with its affairs by filing a writ petition No. 9727/84 in the High Court and has sought a direction from the High Court to direct the Reserve Bank of India to allow the society to carry on the Banking business. The matter is pending with the High Court of Karnataka. It is now learnt that the IDC Staff Credit Co-operative Society had flouted yet another institution on its own named as "IDC Co-operative Bank" which is stated to be operating at Madras,

As it became clear that the activities of the Society fell outside the purview for which the society was registered under the provisions of Karnataka Co-operative Societies Act an inquiry under Section 64 of the Act has been ordered by the Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, II Circle, Bangalore on 19-6-1985. It is learnt that it has not been possible for the Inquiry Officer to proceed with the inquiry as the records of the said society as well as self styled banks "Metropolitan Co-operative Bank," IDC Co-operative Bank and other sister concerns, have been seized by the Corps of Detectives (COD) which are investigating into the complaints of frauds against the managements of firms as well as IDC Staff Credit Cooperative Society. It is seen that the COD through a press release have requested those who have invested their money in these institutions should contact the Investigating Officer, Fraud Squad, COD, Carlton House, Palace Road, Bangalore to assist in the investigation. It is seen

that some of the office beares of the Society had recently filed a writ petition in the High Court of Karnataka challenging the investigation by COD into the affairs of IDC Co-operative Society and other institutions and the High Court of Karnataka had rejected the writ petition. The COD is now fully seized of the matter,

It is also learnt that a suit bearing No. 267/85 have been filed in the High Court of Calcutta by one Sri Suresh Kumar Sharma against the IDC Staff Credit Cooperative Society, Bangalore in which the High Court of Calcutta has appointed a Joint Administrator to run and manage the business of the Banking Trust as well as IDC Staff Credit Cooperative Society and to operate its bank account.

On Securing the records from COD further action will be taken against the management of the society in accordance with law.

ಶ್ರೀ ರಮೇಶ್ ಕುಮಾರ್.— ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಸುಧೀರ್ಘವಾದ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಕಡಿಮೆ ನನ್ನ ಕಂಪೈಂಟ್ ಅನಿಸಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಸಬ್‌ಸ್ಟಾನ್ಷಿಯೇಟ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರಾರ್ ಆಫ್ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸೊಸೈಟೀಸ್ ಎನಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಅವರು ಅಸಿಸ್ಟೆಂಟ್ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರಾರ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಸೆಕ್ಷನ್ ೬೪ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಎನ್‌ಕ್ವಯರಿ ಮಾಡಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಮುಂಚೆ ತಕ್ಷಣ ಟೀಕ್ ಓವರ್ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು. ಸ್ಟಾಲ್ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಎಂದು ಮಾಡಿ ಒಂದು ಕೋಟಿ ರೂಪಾಯಿವರೆಗೆ ಮಗ್ಗು ಜನರಿಗೆ ಡಿಬಿಂಚರ್ ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟ್ ಇತ್ತು, ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಗವರ್ನಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫ್ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ಸರ್ಟಿಫಿಕೇಟ್ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾರೆ, ಸ್ಟೇಟ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಆಫ್ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ, ಬಾಂಬೆ ಇವರು ಗ್ಯಾರಂಟಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾರೆ ಎಂದು ಅಡ್ವರ್ಟೈಸ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ನಮಗೆ ಯಾವುದೂ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಇಲ್ಲ, ಜನ ಮೋಸ ಹೋಗಬಾರದೆಂದು ಅವರು ಕ್ಯಾರಿಫಿಕೇಷನ್ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಗಾಂಧೀನಗರ ಸಬ್ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರಾರ್ ಅಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವೊಂದು ಪೌರಪಣಿ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರಾರ್ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ, ಬುಕ್ ನಂ. ೪ ಸೀಕ್ರೆಟ್ ವಿಲ್ಸ್. ಪವರ್ ಆಫ್ ಅಟಾರ್ನಿ ಕಂಪನಿ ವ್ಯವಹಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಗೊತ್ತಾಗದಂತೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಈ ರೀತಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಕೋಟ್ಯಾಂತರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಜನರಿಂದ ಲೂಟಿ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಈಗ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಇದು ಸಿ.ಒ.ಡಿ. ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಸಿ.ಒ.ಡಿ. ಅವರು ಎನ್‌ಕ್ವಯರಿ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಇದು ಹೈಕೋರ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ನಾನು ಮಾತನಾಡುವ ಹಾಗೆ ಇಲ್ಲ, ಎಂದರೆ ಆಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದನ್ನು ಇನ್ನು ಬೇರೆ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎನ್‌ಕ್ವಯರಿ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಅವರನ್ನು ಒಳಗೆ ಹಾಕಿಸಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಆಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೇ? ಈಗ ಜನರ ಸಲಿಗೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಅಂಡರ್ ಸೆಕ್ಷನ್ ೪೮ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ನಮಗೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ, ಇನ್‌ವೆಸ್ಟಿಗೇಷನ್ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತದ್ದು ತಪ್ಪಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದರೆ ಸರಿಯಿಲ್ಲ, ಈಗ ಹೈಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಆಫ್ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾರೋ ಒಬ್ಬರು ಸ್ಟೇ ತಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುವುದು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರಾರ್ ಆಗಿರತಕ್ಕ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಇದು, ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಹೈಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಆಫ್ ಕಲ್ಕತ್ತಾದವರು ಅಡ್ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಟರ್ ಅಪಾಯಿಂಟ್ ಮಾಡಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಹೇಗೆ ಪವರ್ ಬರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅದನ್ನು ಅವರು ಒಪ್ಪಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಜಿ.ವಿ.ವರಾಧ್, ಅರೆಸ್ಟ್ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈಗ ಅಡ್ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಟರ್ ಅಪಾಯಿಂಟಾಗಿ ಬಂದಿದೆ...

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ವಿವರಗಳು ಏನು ಬೇಕು ಅದನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿ.

ಶ್ರೀ ರಮೇಶ್ ಕುಮಾರ್.— ನಾನು ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಕೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇನೆಯೇ ಹೊರತು ಭಾಷಣ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ. These are points that are not covered in the extensive statement made by the Hon'ble Minister. The so-called Administrator appointed by the Calcutta High Court is entrusted with the responsibility of the same organisation the same person is arrested by the COD people of Karnataka and enlarged on bail. Now, the accused

are sitting over the judgment. I want a clarification from the Hon'ble Minister on these important aspects. I want to know from the Hon'ble Minister, will the Registrar of Societies in Karnataka do proceed and take over these institutions immediately so that they do not swindle the people.

ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಎಲ್. ಜಾಲಪ್ಪ.—ಅಡ್ಮಿನಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಟರ್ ಹೈಕೋರ್ಟಿನವರು ಹಾಕಿರುವುದು. ಸಿ.ಒ.ಡಿ. ಇನ್‌ವೆಸ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆವರಂ ಸೂಪರ್‌ವೈಸ್ ಮಾಡುವುದರಿಂದ ಅದಕ್ಕೂ ನನಗೂ ಸಂಬಂಧವಿಲ್ಲ. ಈಗ ತಾವು ಏನು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ, ಅದನ್ನು ಹೋಮ್ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತರುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಇನ್ನು ಎರಡನೆಯದಾಗಿ ಸೂಪರ್‌ಸೀಡ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಅದು ಬಹಳ ಸಂಲಭ, ಇವು ತ್ವರಿತವಾಗಿ ಆ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡಿ ನಾಳೆ ಚಾರ್ಜ್ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು, ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಚಾರ್ಜ್ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಂದು ಸಿ.ಒ.ಡಿ. ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿದೆ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಇದನ್ನು ಲೀಗಲಿ ವಿಚಾರ ಮಾಡಿ, I will take suitable action.

SRI RAMESH KUMAR.—What the Hon'ble Minister is saying now is outside the purview of the Calling Attention Notice. ಡಿಬಿಚರ್ ಸರ್ವಿಫಿಕೇಟಾ ಇಷ್ಟು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. Hon'ble Chief Minister is present here. I is a very serious matter where people have been just taken for a ride in violation of the Banking Rules. COD already proceeded with the matter. I appeal to you take immediate note of this and initiate action.

SRI M. VEERAPPA MOILY.—It is a clear case of cheat. The police can book the offenders.

ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಎಲ್. ಜಾಲಪ್ಪ.—ಸೊಸೈಟಿಯನ್ನು ನಾವು ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟರ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೆವು ಕ್ರಿಡಿಟ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಆವರಂ ಎರಡು ಮೂರು ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. We don't give permission. The Reserve Bank of India can initiate action. ನಾವು ಏನಾದರೂ ಆಕ್ಷನ್ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾದರೆ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಮೇಲೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದೇ ಹೊರತು ಬೇರೆ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕುಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಬರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

MATTERS UNDER RULE 33A

- (i) *Observation of Black Day to protest against the reservation policy by Non SC/STs.*

SRI M. MALLIKARJUNA KHARGE.—Sir, All Karnataka Non-SC/STs observe Independence Day as Black Day to protest against the reservation in promotion and roster system in Government appointments. This has a far-reaching consequence, imminent danger to law and order and public peace. It is necessary that the Government should intervene immediately and take note the so called vested interest body and safeguard the interest of SC/STs in the State and also maintain law and order.

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ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಷಿಫರಲ್ಲಿ ನಾನು ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದುದು ಇದು ಬಹಳ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಇದೆ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮೆಂಬ್ರ್‌ಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡಲಿ ಎಂಬ ದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ, ಆದುದರಿಂದ ಇದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಚರ್ಚೆ ಬೇಡ.